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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
State of Louisiana
Post Office Box 44275
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Re: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING.

Hosston A Zone, SAILES FIELD, Bienville Parish,
Louisiana.

Dear Sir:

ENERGEN RESOURCES CORPORATION ("Applicant") hereby respectfully applies for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Hosston A Zone in the Sailes Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana:

1. To authorize Applicant to complete, designate and utilize its Woodard-Walker M No. 1 Well, located as shown on the attached plat, as an additional alternate unit well for HOSS A SUI in exception to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 408-A, effective August 1, 1970.
2. To find that designation and use of the Woodard-Walker M No. 1 Well as an additional alternate unit well for HOSS A SUI is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Hosston A Zone underlying HOSS A SUI which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well on this unit.
3. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

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inspection. A copy of any such data which is not otherwise available at the Office of Conservation can be obtained from Applicant at the expense of the requesting party.

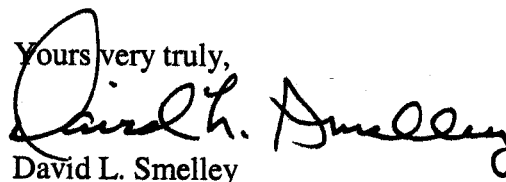
As provided by the Revised Rules of Procedure, the subject matter of this application does not require the issuance of a pre-application notice; therefore, no such notice has been issued.

Pursuant to the aforesaid Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom notice of this application is being sent and has attached hereto a list of the names and addresses of such parties. A copy of this letter and of the attached plat is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation and to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties, as shown on the attached list.

Applicant will provide for posting of a copy of the Legal Notice of this hearing and the enclosed plat at a prominent place in the area affected and will cause publication of the Legal Notice in a newspaper published in the general area of Sailes Field, all in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure. Furthermore, Applicant will mail a copy of the Legal Notice to all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties promptly upon receipt of the Legal Notice from the Commissioner.

A check payable to the Office of Conservation and covering the application fee is enclosed.

Yours very truly,


David L. Smelley

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Attorney for Energen Resources Corporation

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Enclosures

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PHILLIPS
I.P.B. 1
10,059'

ENERGEN
SMITH

1-G
9817'

HOSS A SU E
640 ± ACS.

UNION PROD.
LESTER

1
11,129'

PHILLIPS
LA MIN

3
9991'

HOSS A SU F
640 ± ACS.

HOSS A SU G
640 ± ACS.

PLACID

8-1
9617'

ENERGEN
WILLAMETTE
3-ALT
10,810'

ENERGEN
N. SMITH
E-2
10,824'

ENERGEN
WILLAMETTE
1
9632'

HOSS A SU J
640 ± ACS.

HOSS A SU I
640 ± ACS.

PHILLIPS
LA MIN
1
9519'

ENERGEN
W. COX
1
9894'

ENERGEN
N. SMITH
E-1
9656'

ENERGEN
WOODARD-WALKER
1-D
9505'

T
16
N

ENERGEN
PIERCE
8-1
9565'

ENERGEN
WILLAMETTE
2-ALT
9921'

HOSS A SU H
640 ± ACS.

ENERGEN
SMITH HRS. 7
1-ALT
10,800'

ENERGEN
B. SMITH
1
9617'

PROP. ALT. UNIT WELL
ENERGEN RESOURCES CORP.
WOODARD-WALKER

M-1

9717'

ENERGEN
LA MIN
1
10,816'

ENERGEN
PIERCE
2
9570'

1000'

1000'

PHILLIPS
CONTL. CAN
Y-1
9589'

HOSS A SU M
640 ± ACS.

ENERGEN
STEWART
1
9691'

PHILLIPS
PLACID
16-3
9500'

ENERGEN
PIERCE
1
9714'

ENERGEN
PLACID
1
9700'

HOSS A SU N
640 ± ACS.

ENERGEN
WOODARD-WALKER
C-1
9524'

PHILLIPS
FEE
HOSS A SU O
640 ± ACS.
9500'